

## WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL RULES CLEARINGHOUSE

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## **CLEARINGHOUSE RULE 09-092**

## **Comments**

[NOTE: All citations to "Manual" in the comments below are to the Administrative Rules Procedures Manual, prepared by the Legislative Reference Bureau and the Legislative Council Staff, dated September 2008.]

## 5. Clarity, Grammar, Punctuation and Use of Plain Language

- a. The introductory clause should reflect that the rule pertains to the qualifications of the veterans home commandants and the administrator of the Division of Homes.
- b. In Section 1, it is suggested that the first clause of the first sentence be rewritten as follows:

"Employ a commandant for <u>each</u> Wisconsin veterans home,...".

Also, the second sentence should be rewritten to read: "A person who is employed as a commandant or as the administrator of the division of homes on or after January 1, 2011, shall be licensed as a nursing home administrator under ch. 456, Stats., or shall obtain that licensure within 90 days of beginning employment as a commandant or an administrator."

- c. In Section 2, where a subsection is repealed, only the treatment clause is set forth, ending with a period. The repealed text is not shown.
- d. The effective date provision should read: "This rule shall take effect on the first day of the month following publication in the Wisconsin administrative register as provided in s. 227.22 (2), Stats."